

SURPRISES IN THE RESULTS

Johnson Wins From Burton In Cleveland Contest On Three Cent Fare Basis.

REFORMERS WIN IN SAN FRANCISCO

Kentucky Goes Republican--Rhode Island Also In Line--
New Jersey In Doubt And Maryland Is Democratic Again.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
San Francisco, Calif., Nov. 6.—Returns from every precinct show the good government ticket was overwhelmingly elected.

Taylor, for mayor, is elected by a plurality of 11,000 and District Attorney Langdon has a majority of 10,000.

Large Returns
Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 6.—The returns today indicate the republicans carried the state by twenty thousand majority.

Strongly Republican
Providence, R. I., Nov. 6.—Higginson (Dem.) was re-elected governor, but with the exception of the lieutenant governor the rest of the state ticket remains republican and the general assembly is strongly republican.

Loss Five
The republicans lost five members of the assembly. The republicans were victorious in Buffalo, Albany, Rochester, Syracuse, Oswego and Utica, while Blinn, Rome and Binghamton elected democratic mayors.

Maryland My Maryland
Baltimore, Md., Nov. 6.—Incomplete returns today show the democrats have elected Crothers governor and the entire state ticket by an estimated plurality of about 7,000. The legislature appears to be safely democratic.

Official Count
Trenton, N. J., Nov. 6.—It will probably require an official count to decide the result for governor between Fort (Rep.) and Katzenbach (Dem.). Figures obtainable apparently favor Katzenbach. The legislature is republican.

In Old Kentucky
Louisville, Ky., Nov. 6.—Returns from 110 out of 119 counties indicate the majority of Wilson, republican, for governor is fourteen thousand, but the legislature is still in doubt, probably democratic.

In Mormon Utah
Salt Lake, Utah, Nov. 6.—Through the election of Bradford as mayor, the general city ticket and the majority of the city council, the American party will retain complete control of the city for the next two years.

Claims the State
Cumden, N. J., Nov. 6.—Judge Fort, the republican candidate for governor, telephoned to David Dillard, the republican leader of Camden county today that he had carried the state by 7,000 majority.

United Support
In the state election Edward T. Bartlett and William Bartlett having the united support of the republicans and democrats were elected judges of the court of appeals by an enormous majority over candidates of the Independence League.

CLEVELAND—JOHNSON WINS.
ISSUE: Tom Johnson and Johnsonism with 3 cent fare, or Burton, Roosevelt's candidate, with seven fares for a quarter?

RESULT: Johnson becomes national figure and becomes strong candidate for presidential nomination.

NEW YORK—HEARST BEATEN.
ISSUE: Hearst—that's all.

RESULT: That's all of Hearst.

KENTUCKY PROBABLY REPUBLICAN.
ISSUE: Straight party and prohibition.

RESULT: Returns indicate switching of state into republican column, Wilson defeating Harger; republicans also making great gains in legislature.

SAN FRANCISCO—GOOD GOVERNMENT WINS.
ISSUE: Continuance of anti-graft administration.

RESULT: Victory for District Attorney Langdon, who prosecuted Schmitz, Ruef, and other grafters, and election of Acting-Mayor Taylor, nominee of Good Government League.

BOSTON—MORAN (Ind.) WINS.
ISSUE: Is District Attorney Moran worthy of continued confidence of the people?

RESULT: Victory for Moran, who declared the money he received from Tom Lawson was in the form of a loan.

SALT LAKE CITY—BRANSFORD WINS.
ISSUE: Mormon influence in politics.

RESULT: Defeat for municipal ticket put up by the Mormons, repudiation of Reed Smoot.

CINCINNATI—MARKREIT (R.) WINS.
ISSUE: "Down with Both Bosses."

RESULT: Victory for Leopold Markreit, republican nominee for mayor, who is personal friend of President Roosevelt.

MARYLAND.
ISSUE: Test of effectiveness of democratic scheme for throwing out negro republican votes.

RESULT: Democratic victory, which assures democratic United States senator.

RHODE ISLAND—HIGGINS WINS.
ISSUE: Shall Gen. Brayton, republican boss, continue to have an office in the statehouse?

RESULT: Defeat for the reformers.

MASSACHUSETTS—GUILD (R.) WINS.
ISSUE: Berger of Boston and Maine and New York, New Haven & Hartford railroads.

RESULT: Merger approved in re-election of Governor Guild, republican.

PENNSYLVANIA—SHEATZ (R.) WINS.
ISSUE: Continuance of democratic control of the state treasurer's office.

RESULT: Victory for republican candidate.

ILLINOIS.
Of the 137 districts in the state voting yesterday under the new local option law 131 voted against licensing saloons and 6 voted for license. Seven counties completely anti-license.

DELAWARE.
Two of the four districts into which the state is divided voted to prohibit the sale of liquor and one district for license and one is in doubt.

KENTUCKY.
By defeating Judge Harger, democratic candidate for governor, voters disapproved announced policy to work for a change in the local option law.

NEW JERSEY.
Victory for Fort, the republican candidate for governor, who pledged his party to Sunday closing.

(Continued on Page 4.)



THE CZAR—There, I knew I'd get a Duma that would cut right out of my hand. The new Duma will be very conservative in every way.—News Item.

MASSACHUSETTS FIRM GOES TO THE WALL

Print Works Employing Six Thousand Hands in Hands of the Receiver.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Boston, Mass., Nov. 6.—A receiver was appointed for the Arnold Print Works at North Adams, one of the largest textile manufacturing plants in the state, today. Its employees number six thousand.

RAYMOND HITCHCOCK APPEARS IN COURT

Actor Indicted on Serious Charge Is Ready to Face the Judge Now.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Nov. 6.—Raymond Hitchcock, the actor who disappeared several days ago, after being indicted on the charges preferred by several young girls, appeared at the criminal court building today and went to the office of the district attorney, Hitchcock is under bond to appear in court this afternoon.

WHALING FLEET TO BRING HOME BIG LOT

Alaska Ships Are Bringing Home Largest Catch in Many Years.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
San Francisco, Calif., Nov. 6.—According to a cablegram from Alaska ships of the whaling fleet are safe and are bringing home the biggest catch in many years.

CARPENTER FALLS 60 FEET AND IS KILLED

Carpenter Slides Down Roof and Falls Long Distance to Ground.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Oshkosh, Wis., Nov. 6.—Falling 60 feet from the new brick building of the Diamond Match company, William Lightfoot, a carpenter whose home is believed to be in Manitowish, was killed this morning. He was working on the sky-light at the gable and slid down the rubberoid roofing, a distance of thirty feet, and then dropped over the edge to the sidewalk. His body was badly mangled, both legs and arms being broken and his face and head badly cut.

COUNTRY'S APPLE CROP VERY SHORT

American Agriculturist States Crop Is Short This Year, Especially in Productive Sections.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Nov. 6.—The apple crop of the United States for 1907 is estimated by the American Agriculturist to be about 21,000,000 barrels. It being materially short of last year's crop. What is of great importance is such a shortage in such commercial orchard sections in western New York, nearly all of Michigan, and the entire southwest.

Buy it in Janesville.

SULTAN "SOAKS" HIS JEWELS TO PAY ARMY

Deposits Costly Jewels in London to Obtain Loan Which He Needs to Pay Army.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
London, Nov. 6.—Thirty feet below the level of the Strand in a vault of a bank near Charing Cross there lie some of the crown jewels of Morocco and a great quantity of the Sultan's personal jewelry, the whole being valued at more than \$5,000,000. The jewels have been deposited as security for a loan which the Sultan wishes to raise to pay his army and to meet the ransom demanded by Raskul for the release of Kaid Muelem.

C. B. & Q. GETTING ECONOMICAL IN WAYS

System Plans to Consolidate Lines so as to Reduce Expense in Annual Reports.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Chicago, Ill., Nov. 6.—Following the example recently set by the Great Northern Railroad, the stockholders of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy at the annual meeting today, will take action looking to the further consolidation of the company's properties in Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska and Wyoming. This consolidation has been effected by the purchase of some eighteen or twenty small lines which have heretofore been held under lease by the Burlington. The principal objects of the consolidation are to do away with the necessity for issuing a multiplicity of annual reports, to simplify the bookkeeping of the system, and to effect economies through abolition of the separate organizations heretofore maintained by each of the subsidiary companies.

\$1,500 ORCHID HAS ITS FIRST FLOWERS

Expensive Plant Imported From London Blooms For First Time—Now in Chicago Collection.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Chicago, Ill., Nov. 6.—Slightly calculated to delight every lover of flowers, the greatest visitors to the Columbian today, were the annual show of the Horticultural Society of Chicago opened under most pleasant auspices. One of the chief aims of the promoters of the exhibition this year has been to exemplify the idea of a "city beautiful." To this end a number of model gardens are shown as examples of how to make front and back yards bright with floral beauty.

One of the rare sights of the exhibition is a ten-year-old orchid, which cost its owner, E. G. Uhlhorn, \$1,500 five years ago. It is now blooming for the first time, bearing two flowers of a richly colored lavender, with deep purple lip. The orchid is called Laelia Cattleya purpurabunda, and is a hybrid brought from Sander, the famous orchid specialist of London.

Red Valley Dairyman.
Crookston, Minn., Nov. 6.—Several hundred members of the Red River Valley Dairyman's association were present today at the opening of the association's annual meeting. The meeting will be in session two days, during which time there will be addresses by several well known experts and discussions on numerous topics relating to the dairy industry.

FIFTEEN KILLED IN EXPLOSION IN KIEL

Training Ship Met with Serious Accident While Lying in Harbor Here.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Kiel, Nov. 6.—The hullers of the German school ship Bluecher exploded this morning while the vessel was near the pier. It is reported eight men were killed. Twenty-two were injured.

CONDITIONS APPEAR TO BE NORMAL NOW

New York Banks Report Matters Satisfactory—Washington Is Pleased Also.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Nov. 6.—The financial situation showed evidences today of getting back into the normal channels.

The Lincoln and American Trust companies which have been experiencing runs of late continued business as usual today and with the strong moral and material support of a number of the trust companies who have entered in taking over the majority of the stock of the two companies under pressure, this arrangement gives promise of not only relieving the strain on the two companies but also in relieving one of the chief causes of apprehension in the local situation. The gold engagements continue to augment. Stock market stimulated by improved condition of affairs showed buoyant turn.

Shore Satisfaction
The very buoyant conditions were evident in the stock market early in the dealings today as an expression of the satisfaction felt with financial developments over the election holiday. After the opening with small advances and losses mixed there was a general upshot of prices. The prices fell back slightly and the market became quieter. Buying on the advance was in a large volume.

Is Encouraging
Washington, D. C., Nov. 6.—The financial situation of the country from the treasury standpoint is more encouraging today than at any time during the past two weeks. The controller of the currency is making large shipments of currency to the national banks and applications for increased circulation continue to come in, in undiminished numbers.

NOT GUILTY, IS THE VERDICT HANDED IN

Jury Decides Land Fraud Case in Mexico This Morning Favoring the Defendant in Action.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Roswell, N. M., Nov. 6.—A verdict of not guilty was returned today in the case of Benjamin H. Tallmadge, tried in the federal court on the charge of land fraud.

GUN DISCHARGED BY BOY WHILE GOING THROUGH FENCE

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Nov. 6.—While climbing through a barbed wire fence in the woods near his home a shot gun carried by Herbert Evans, aged thirteen, was accidentally discharged and the load took effect in the boy's left arm which was badly mangled. He will recover.

SUPERIOR FIRMS WERE IN MUCH FINANCIAL TROUBLE

Banks Refused To Renew Their Paper For Large Sums, Owing To Financial Troubles—Matters Adjusted.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Superior, Wis., Nov. 6.—Persistent rumors were afloat yesterday and this morning that it had become necessary for two of the largest concerns in Duluth to apply for the appointment of receivers, inquiry from the firms elicited the information that the banks had refused to renew sundry notes amounting in the aggregate to \$100,000 and that for a time it seemed that they would have to close their doors but other firms came to their assistance and they state that they are now able to continue business.

The condition of the firms is not due to any falling off in business for as a matter of fact this has never been better than at the present time but members of nearly all the large concerns both here and at Duluth invested heavily in copper stocks and the recent slump has left them in an unfortunate condition.

The labor situation here is causing some alarm. Men are returning to the city from the woods and also from the railroad camps. The employment bureaus have been notified by lumbermen that they intend to shut down and therefore need no more men and intimates that they are getting rid of those they already employ. Railroad construction also is at a standstill and a similar commotion has been received in this regard.

In the meantime the men are thronging the streets of the city and there is no work at present in sight. The reason given is that wages are too high and until they come down there is no possibility of operating at a profit.

The striking boilermakers are growing dissatisfied at what they deem the unreasonable delay in the completion of the negotiations between their representatives at St. Paul and the railway companies interested and groups of men gathered in the vicinity of headquarters and were free in their expressions. It had been promised that the difficulties would all be over on Tuesday of last week and on this assumption the men prepared to return to work under conditions which they understood from advice from headquarters at St. Paul would assure them all they had asked for. Since this communication was received no word has been uttered and the men are getting restless. They protest loyalty to the union but think that the officials are not acting in the best manner to achieve the ends desired.

They state with equivocation that they would be willing to go back at the old schedule and fear that if the matter is delayed longer the terms of settlement may be worse in view of the present condition of the labor market.

TO TRY SENATOR BROWN'S MURDERESS NEXT MONDAY

Sensational Features Promised By Counsel For Defense--Mrs. Bradley Will Tell Startling Story On Stand.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Nov. 6.—A trial that will be watched with interest all over the country will begin next Monday before Justice Stafford, in the criminal court of the District of Columbia. On that day Mrs. Annie M. Bradley will be placed on trial on a charge of murder, in connection with the death of former Senator Arthur M. Brown of Utah, last December.

The shooting of Senator Brown occurred on the afternoon of December 8 last at the Raleigh hotel, where both the Senator and Mrs. Bradley had registered. The victim died two days later at the emergency hospital. When taken into custody Mrs. Bradley declared: "All Utah knows the reason for the shooting." She told the police that she was the mother of four children, and that Brown was the father of two of them.

Senator Brown was a native of Michigan, but had been a resident of Utah since 1879. In 1896 he was elected to the United States senate as a republican. He and his colleagues were elected on the same ballot, but in drawing lots he secured the short term, which extended but little more than a year. He was a delegate to the republican national convention from Utah in 1896 and 1899, and after his retirement from the senate had served as postmaster of Salt Lake City. He was reputed to be a man of wealth and for years he had been a prominent member of the legal profession in the West.

Mrs. Bradley has entirely recovered from the effects of the operation that she underwent some time ago and is taking deep interest in the preparations for her trial. Judge G. C. Powers will be the leading counsel for the defense. In speaking of the line of defense Judge Powers says: "There is no such thing as emotional insanity, according to a court ruling, and we will not make such a plea, nor will we urge anything bordering on an 'unwritten law,' as was done in the Thaw case."

OPERATORS' STRIKE IS NOW CALLED OFF

At Meeting of Leaders of Commercial Telegraphers in Chicago Strike Is Declared Off.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Chicago, Nov. 6.—At a meeting of the leaders of the Commercial Telegraphers union here today it was decided to call off the strike of the operators against the telegraph companies. About 300 men applied to the companies today for reinstatement.

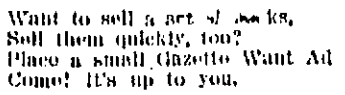
LAST OLD SETTLER OF KENOSHA DEAD

Last Member of Party That Settled at Kenosha in 1835 Dies at Age of 93.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Kenosha, Wis., Nov. 6.—John Levent Stevens, the one surviving member of the party which originally settled in Kenosha in December of 1835, died at his home in this city at midnight last night at the age of ninety-three years.

The Pope's Laces.
The pope has a million dollar lace collection.

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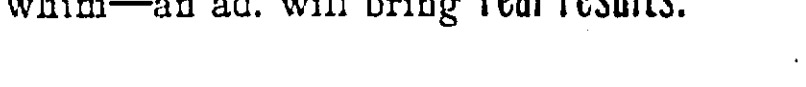
OST, near M. L. church, Sunday noon - Pair
of gold bowed spectacles in case, Finder
please leave at O. D. Bates' store.

heads can find any comfort in the result they are welcome to all the joy it brings them. Republicans of Wisconsin! pass the word along the line that the Union column in old Rock never wavers.

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Democratic Patriotism.—The parade which the democrats made through the city yesterday with a four horse wagon, a band of music and a procession of hysterical snuffies, made one think of those days when soldiers were needed to fill up the army and that party did not make any special effort to create enthusiasm among the people. We believe that none of those gentlemen who "paid the fiddler" yesterday, paid out much money to help enthusiasts but an effort to get the tax off from whisky is much more congenial to the feelings of some folks than to help fight the rebels.

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increasing cloudiness Thursday, rising
temperatures.

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H. L. McNAMARA,

Business Mgr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 1st day of November, 1907.

JENNIE L. KENDALL,

(Seal) Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 11, 1911.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION

Elections of greater or less im-

portance, yesterday reveal many sur-

prises, and will influence the presi-

dential campaign next year. The

success of Tom Johnson of Cleve-

land, Ohio, who was opposed by Pres-

ident Roosevelt, indicates that the peo-

ple are doing their own thinking, and

do not take kindly to interference.

This may be a suggestive straw for

Secretary Taft in his campaign.

That board was beaten in New

York was expected. The city has a

normal democratic majority of 80,000.

Tammany rule is satisfactory to a

majority of the voters and the city

will continue to have the kind of gov-

ernment that pleases the people.

Results in San Francisco are most

satisfactory. Schmitz, Ruff, organiz-

ed labor and the grafters are perma-

nently out of business and good gov-

ernment is again established. This is

gratifying to the country at large,

and results will be far-reaching.

Wood Street and his Mormon co-

horts in Salt Lake City are obliged

to take a back seat.

Republican majorities, in other

states, are recorded with decreased

majorities, which would naturally be

expected in an off year.

Prohibition has secured a decided

gain in every state where it was an

issue. The local option law in Illi-

nois resulted in seven no-license

counties, and 121 voting districts out

of 137 are anti-license. The Anti-

Saloon League is doing quiet but ef-

fective work in 40 states, and the

law and order arguments used are so

just and reasonable, that they are

freely endorsed. This is the first prac-

tical temperance reform movement

that the nation has ever conducted,

and it is proving very effective.

While the lessons of the campaign

are not yet clearly defined, they indi-

cate that the epidemic of fanatical

reform has run its course, and that

public sentiment is again in a recep-

tive mood.

The sharp corner which the nation

is turning, shaken the speed so

suddenly, that people are finding time

to think, and that is the best occu-

pation which ever engaged the atten-

tion of any people.

Occasionally a man is found who

can stand on his feet and think and

talk sanely and intelligently, without

special preparation. The President is

this kind of a man, yet he is often

accused of talking too much.

The American people are good imi-

tators, and the most of us have cul-

tivated the faculty of talking learnedly

on any and all subjects, without

thought or preparation, until it has

become a habit.

We know more about railroads and

corporations, than the men who own

them, and are free to express our

knowledge on the slightest provoca-

tion.

This habit so possesses us that it

has become a disease, which nothing

but the most radical treatment could

cure. The treatment is now being

applied, and the much-abused laws of

reason and common sense are again

coming to the surface and gaining

recognition.

The elections of yesterday point to

a new issue in the campaign of 1908,

an issue more important than the tar-

iff, and more significant than govern-

ment ownership or control.

The people will be called upon to

decide whether conservatism and

common sense shall rule, or whether

radicalism and fanaticism shall pre-

vail.

In other words, the important issue

which confronts us as a nation is,

whether or not we are capable of self-

government.

The experiences through which we

are passing today are the culmination

of recklessness and incompetence,

for which we the people are re-

sponsible.

In our ambition to reform every-

thing in sight, and regulate all kinds

of business, we have neglected to

provide for ourselves, and today we

are embarrassed and humiliated be-

cause of this neglect.

The breathing spell, which is in

sight, will be good for us. It will re-

sult in some hardship and suffering,

but out of it will come appreciation

and a broader range of charity.

THE FOREIGN VIEW

George Gould, the New York finan-

cier, has just returned from a six

months' tour of Europe. He reports

that American securities are suffer-

ing, through lack of confidence, and

that the \$20,000,000 Standard Oil

company fine is the principal cause

of depression.

Foreign capital regards this unpre-

cedented fine as confiscation of prop-

erty, and argues that if one corpora-

tion can be thus punished, that all

large American corporations, are lia-

ble to the same treatment.

This feeling is entertained regard-

ing railway corporations, in which

foreign capital is largely interested.

The fact is recognized that if the

Standard Oil company can be made to

pay a fine of 25 million dollars, that

the railroad companies, accused of

granting rebates, are equally guilty,

and that if prosecutions, now so popu-

lar, follows, that many companies

would be made bankrupt, and stocks

and bonds rendered worthless.

This is a new proposition for the

American people to consider. It has

never occurred to many of us that

we are under obligations to the old

world for the great railway system

which has done so much to develop

the country.

It requires large blocks of money to

build and equip railroads, and for-

eign capital has come to our aid fre-

ely. While there was no philanthropy

connected with the investment, there

was unlimited confidence in American

promoters and managers.

This confidence has never been in-

fracted, but when the national and

state governments step in as defec-

tive, a new element has to be reck-

oned with, and when this new el-

ement adopts a policy which weakens

values by confiscatory laws and regu-

lations, it is regarded by foreigners

as dangerous in the extreme.

If it seemed necessary to punish

the Standard Oil company on 1500

counts at \$20,000 a count, it would

have been better for the interests of

the country to substitute a prison

sentence.

The precedent of that sort of a fine

is a bad precedent to establish. The

same line applied to the Chicago &

Alton road, would have put it out of

business, and American railway re-

construction would have been worthless

at home and abroad.

There are a lot of propositions

which have been foisted on the country

by radical reformers, which will

bear sober second thought investiga-

tion, and this is a good time to think.

PRESS COMMENT.

Forced but Pungent

Shelby Journal: Raymond

Hitchcock appears to be a good actor

with a bad character.

And the Name, Please?

La Crosse Leader-Press: Curious

and Raymond Hitchcock might start

a new fraternal society.

Tho' Not a Pleasant One, Perhaps

La Crosse News: The report that

"there is plenty of money" behind the

La Follette presidential candidacy no

doubt will be a great surprise to Uncle

Sam.

Kankakee Critic Too Lenient

Chicago Record-Herald: Perhaps

the man who thinks football is prize

fighting has never seen any kind of

prize fighting but that in which the

contestants go to a finish.

Nothing in It for Roving Stone

Green Bay Gazette: State Game

Warden Stone seems to be having a

hard time convincing the officials at

Madison that he is entitled to hotel

board and other expenses.

Who Dares Suggest It?

Menasha Record: La Follette as

second fiddle? Nay, nay, Pauline, no

matter how many discords he may

make as first violin he will insist on

This Time it Was Different.

"To tell the truth, Dr. Richards," said the wife of one of our most prosperous merchants, "I have neglected my teeth for years, since Dr. Richards of this city filed some teeth for me."

"He hurt me so dreadfully that I laughed and cried in almost hysterics when at last he let me out of that chair."

"Well," said Dr. Richards, "how was it this time?"

"You never hurt me one bit," said she and the Dr. had just finished filling a lot of her teeth with gold.

It is very pleasant to Dr. Richards to receive these kind words from bright, intelligent people who know when they receive good services and appreciate them.

The multitude of hearty endorsements given him in this city by people who have tried him and found his work really painless, makes him stand out clearly among his fellows as the man to go to for real painless dentistry in Janesville.

His prices are also reasonable, which is not a bad feature for the one who pays the bill.

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Delivered in sealed, sterilized bottles.

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NO UNEASINESS HAS BEEN DEMONSTRATED

While Currency is Becoming Scarce the Cashier's Checks Take Their Place.

Actual currency may become scarce but the banks have an almost unlimited supply of cashier's checks on hand to pass out through the little windows to customers. Then, too, they have lots of money to change bills of large denominations for persons who are fortunate enough to have them and so the business is transacted. Merchants are taking cashier's checks without a murmur. So one thinks anything about it now.

One bright individual, however, tried to figure out how many of these same checks would be lost before the return of the real money comes and never returned and how much the banks would make by it. He stopped his work when told that for each check thus handed out the banks placed in reserve an equal sum of currency to redeem it and that if a check was lost and not returned to the bank issuing it the only thing the bank would gain would be that this reserve fund would have to remain intact and would act as a reserve fund of the bank. Patrons of the cashier's checks each day and saving out the bills for use in business and in securing change. The system works nicely and its encouraged by several of the banks. None of the banks appears to know how much longer the present system will be in vogue but as it works but little inconvenience for anyone except the overworked bank clerks are occasioned.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Council Chamber—best cigar. Smoke Rabin Clear Havana cigars. Andro drops cups colds. Hazook. Most liberal policy is issued by Northwestern Life Ins. Co. See Office. Use Solvay coal. F. A. Taylor.

Cards announcing the marriage of Mabel E. Neyhart of Canton, South Dakota, to Orville Jory of Maxville, Iowa, on October 30 have been received. Miss Neyhart was formerly a resident of Janesville.

The Knickerbocker Baptist church will meet in church parlors Thursday at 2 p. m.

Prof. Kohl's dancing class meets Friday.

"Moon Whisk" famous three-step. Cost Will Rossiter. "The Chicago Publisher" \$8,000.00 cash. Yours for 10 cents. P. J. Hinterschied 106 Store, Saturday.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Gave Farewell Party: Miss Rose Boland, who is to leave for Milwaukee, where she will make her future home, was hostess at a farewell party given Monday evening. Church was played, prizes being awarded; first, to Miss Katherine Roberts; second, to Miss Katherine Broderick; and the consolation to Miss Alice Angle. Refreshments were served at 10 o'clock. Before departing the guests presented the hostess with a token of remembrance.

Meet Thursday: The O. L. S. Study Class will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. John Nicholson, 151 Third street.

Austin Farm Grains \$16.00: W. T. Doolley sold the Grout C. Austin farm in the town of Harmony to Thomas McDowell yesterday. The property consisted of 160 acres and the consideration was \$16,000. Yesterday morning the same auctioneer disposed of Mr. Austin's home at 124 Milton avenue for \$10,000. John A. A. of this city being the purchaser.

E. B. Dixon is Better: The condition of E. B. Dixon, who is in a serious condition at his home, 105 South Jackson street, as the result of a stroke of paralysis, was reported to be somewhat improved this morning. He is seventy-eight years of age and has been a resident of Janesville for half a century.

A Fable Fire-Run: At 8:20 this morning the fire department was called out by an alarm sent in from the corner of Magnolia avenue and Washington street. There was no sign of a blaze anywhere, thoroughness and thoroughness in the vicinity were of the opinion that some boy had seen the smoke of a traction engine on or nearby the gas farm and had pulled the box without further investigation.

Congressman John J. Esch of Wisconsin, whose long and faithful service in the House gives weight to his opinions, does not believe congress will take any important action relative to the improvement of the Mississippi next year.

No Trouble Here: Reports from different portions of the state show that the new eight hour system put in operation by the Chicago & North-western railroad has not been received with enthusiasm. In several cities strikes have occurred. There is no trouble, however, in the local shops.

Taken to Mendota: John McKay, the stranger whose peculiar delusions and actions have been puzzling the police officers for a week past, was examined by Drs. James Mills and Charles Sutherland at the county jail last evening and pronounced insane. He was taken to the Mendota asylum by Sheriff I. U. Fisher.

Minister Refused to Marry Them: At the county clerk's office recently an aged swain from the vicinity of Plymouth answered all the questions in due form and procured a license to wed a maiden lady of about the same number of summers who also resided in Rock county. The minister who was asked to wed them, however, was informed that the woman was not mentally competent and that a guardian had been appointed for her. He made inquiries of the county clerk and the latter learned from Judge Sale that such was the case. As the law does not permit the mentally imbalanced to marry, the license had to be annulled.

That within a year the South will be leading the north in Prohibition sentiment is the prediction made by Charles R. Jones, national chairman of the Prohibition party, who recently completed an extensive tour of the Southern States.

H. Dudley Coleman of New Orleans has been named as candidate for governor of Louisiana by the so-called "Black and Tan" faction of the republican party in that state. A full ticket has been named.

NEW BOOKS ON HAND AT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Art, Theology, Natural History, Sociology and Other Branches of Study and Culture Well Represented.

Subjects of serious and permanent interest are largely represented in the latest list of new books received at the public library, though there are several volumes of fiction. The titles and authors are as follows:

Bachelor Betty, by James.

Frail of the Tree, by Edith Wharton.

Crucible, by Mark Lee Luther.

Grot, by Mahtle.

Running Horse Inn, by Sheppard.

The Sotter, by Whitaker.

New Theology, by Campbell.

New Books of Civilization, by Putten.

Races and Emigrants in America; On the Trail of the Immigrant, by Steller. It has been said of this book that it is "A revelation that should set America to thinking and her statesmen to action."

Life of Animals, by Ingersoll.

Nature's Craftsmen, by McCook.

Manual of Argumentation and Debate, by Laycock and Seals.

Friendly Town, a little book for the urban camp, by Lucas.

Dramatic Poems, by William Butler Yeats.

From a College Window, by Benson.

Upton Letters, by Benson.

From Patrick Henry, by Morgan.

Lincoln the Lawyer, by Hill.

Wildwood of Europe, by Colquhoun.

"Austria Hungary and the Hapsburgs."

Warblers of America, by Chapman.

What I Have Done With Birds, by Porter.

History of Painting, by Richard Mather.

Substance of Faith Allied with Science, by Lodge.

Our Common Birds and How to Know Them, by Grant.

Just for Two, a book of recipes for two people, by Langdon.

Appreciation of Sculpture, by Sturges.

Appreciation of Pictures, by Sturges.

Art of the Vatican, by Porter.

MEMORIAL DAY DATE FOR THE ELKS NAMED

The First Sunday in December is the Time Set—Five New Members.

At the regular session last evening of the Janesville Lodge 251, H. P. O. E., the first Sunday in December was decided upon as the day upon which memorial services would be held for departed members. A committee composed of E. D. McGowan, chairman, H. L. Baker, and S. M. Smith, was appointed to make all arrangements and a speaker of prominence in Elksdom will be invited to address the services which will open to the public and held in the Myers Theatre. Among the members of the Janesville lodge who have gone to the world beyond whose memory will be observed are Lead Becker, Dr. Henry Palmer, Fred S. Prentice, Stanley D. Smith, Frank C. Cook and L. C. Brownell. Two new members were also added to the roll last evening: J. M. Hostwick, H. E. Miles, E. J. Bailey, George Decker and George Barker passing through the initiation exercises. The lodge now numbers over two hundred and has among its members a majority of the leading business and professional men of the city. The report of the Amusement committee was made showing that the benefit performance of "The Power of the Ranch" netted the lodge over three hundred dollars.

THEY WERE MARRIED HALF A CENTURY AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kenneane to Celebrate Their Golden Wedding Anniversary This Week.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kenneane of this city who were married in Middleton, Conn., on Nov. 8, 1857, by the Rev. Father Brady and who came to Wisconsin almost immediately thereafter, will celebrate their golden anniversary this week. For practically half a century they have been residents of Janesville. Of their children, six are still living: Mrs. J. A. Carroll of the town of Rock; Thomas Kenneane of the town of La Prairie; Mrs. T. J. Spohn and Miss Therese Kenneane of Janesville; and Sister Aloysia and Sister Scholastica of Gutrie, Oklahoma. There are twelve grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneane are still in fairly good health and the reunion and celebration is expected to be a pleasant one.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Abigail J. McFarlane.

Mrs. Abigail J. McFarlane died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George G. Park, 100 Oakland avenue, at 10:10 last night, death resulting from an attack of heart disease to which she was suffering from complications. She was 69 years, 11 months and 18 days of age lacking less than two weeks from being 70 years old. The deceased was born in the state of Vermont, having been a resident of Janesville the past 25 years. The funeral will be held from the residence on Oakland avenue at 3:30 tomorrow afternoon and the remains will be shipped to Kenosha for burial.

WILL OPEN MACHINE SHOP.

Pleasant's Garage Install New Machinery and Tools.

Within a week Pleasant's automobile garage will be equipped with a complete lot of machinery for general repair and machine shop work, thus bringing the establishment up-to-date in every way for the handling of automobiles. Every thing necessary in the way of tools and apparatus for the complete building of gasoline engines and for general repair work is being installed and an expert machinist has been secured to superintend the shop. General machine shop work will be handled as well as gas engine and automobile repairs, and with the new equipment the Pleasant garage will be as complete as any in this part of the state.

SCHOOLS CLOSED FOR TEACHERS' MEETING

Superintendents Buell and Hemingway Left This Morning—Nearly All City Teachers Will Attend.

City Superintendent H. C. Buell, a candidate for the presidency of the State Teachers' association, and County Superintendent Charles Hemingway left for Milwaukee this morning as the vanguard of the teachers of this city who will attend the meeting of the State Teachers' Association to be held in Milwaukee the remainder of this week, commencing tomorrow. The city schools were closed all afternoon for the week to allow all the teachers who desire to attend the meeting an opportunity to do so. Nearly all of the 70 or more teachers in the city will be present at the sessions of the association, some of them going to Milwaukee this afternoon and the remainder tomorrow morning.

M. N. Melver, superintendent of schools of Oshkosh who is one of the candidates for president of the association, was one of the advance guard of delegates to the convention who arrived in Milwaukee this morning. He said there was every prospect of one of the most successful conventions the association has ever held and believed that the attendance would exceed that of any former gathering of teachers in Wisconsin.

IDAHO CASE BEFORE JUDGE J. V. QUARLES

Question of Sending Eau Claire Men Back West for Trial up Today.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Madison, Wis., Nov. 6.—In the United States district court here today, Judge J. V. Quarles of Milwaukee is hearing the matter of James T. Barber against Summer G. Moon, prominent lumberman of Eau Claire, indicted in Idaho for alleged complicity in land frauds.

The hearing is to determine whether or not the defendants will have to go to Idaho to answer the indictments. Judge Quarles is sitting for Judge A. L. Sanborn. The Madison judge is taking the place of the Milwaukee jurist in the Colorado land fraud cases in which prominent citizens of Milwaukee are indicted.

The Eau Claire men are now in the custody of the United States marshal, according to a recent commitment ordered by Court Commissioner Henry McMahon on a requisition procured in Eau Claire. United States District Attorney William J. Wheeler of Janesville has a motion before the court to send the defendants to Idaho, and the defendants declare that there is not sufficient evidence against them to warrant sending them to the west to face the charges. The defendants present a writ of habeas corpus, and if their plea is granted the district attorney is expected to appeal. If they are not liberated on the writ, they will be by their attorney, C. P. Bundy of Eau Claire, ask leave to introduce evidence in their own behalf to show their innocence of the charges. They are both wealthy and have been identified with the lumbering business of Wisconsin against the west for years. The charges against them is similar to that on which Senator Borah of Idaho was recently released and acquitted.

AGED MAN OF AVON HAS SEVERE PARALYTIC STROKE

William Grimes, Old Resident of Rock County, Ill at His Home.

William Grimes of Avon, who suffered a stroke of paralysis three weeks ago, is still very ill at his home and the outcome of his illness is still in doubt. Mr. Grimes is 92 years of age, having been born on Christmas day, 1815. He has resided at Avon since 1836, being one of the oldest pioneers of Rock County now living. He came to Janesville when only a double housewife was standing on the present site of the city. It is hoped that his present condition will improve though he is reported to be very low and is unconscious part of the time. His daughter, Mrs. Thos. Cox of the town of Turtle, is assisting in caring for her father.

ARMY OF THE TENNESSEE.

Vicksburg, Miss., Nov. 6.—Veterans of the Blue and the Gray will exchange ideas here tomorrow when the Society of the Army of the Tennessee assemble for its annual reunion. It will be the first reunion that the organization has held south of the Ohio river.

Prominent among those scheduled to take part in the gathering are General Frederick D. Grant, Mrs. John A. Logan, Bishop Samuel Feltows and P. T. Sherman.

SUNBURST

Flour \$1.60

Whirlwind, \$1.55.

Enco, \$1.75.

Carload Potatoes

They are going out in round lots far in excess of our expectations.

They are white, clean and ripe and bound to please.

We are making a special price of 7c in 5 or 10 bushel lots, for a few days only.

Sweet Cider

Another lot just in. Order early if you care for any as it will probably be gone before tomorrow night.

Price, 30c gal.

Apples in Bushel Baskets

at \$1.50 to \$1.60, including Spies, Greenings, Baldwins, Kings, Russets, etc. Good, sound fruit that will keep.

Purity Java and Mocha Coffee

3 lbs. \$1.00

Nothing takes the place of the right kind of piping hot coffee these cool mornings.

This is true imported Java & Mocha, a new, fresh lot, better than usual.

We highly recommend it, believing you will be more than pleased with it.

DEDRICK BROS.**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Andrew C. Pond and family leave the latter part of this month for Mobile, Alabama.

A. J. Jones is in Milwaukee.

R. J. Richards and wife are Cream City visitors.

R. J. Bombs is in Milwaukee.

W. G. Wheeler went to Madison this morning.

Earle Anderson of Stoughton was a Janesville visitor last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Heddles of Evansville were visitors here last evening.

John Maly, Virgil Morris, and S. Maly of Richland Center were in Janesville last night.

S. M. Schell of Naperville transacted business here yesterday.

H. Greeley Sloan of Milwaukee is in the city.

Patrick Garvin was here from Clinton last night.

Miss Alice Fisher Powell of Minneapolis is a guest at the home of Mrs. William Bladen.

S. G. Hickey of Whitewater was in the city last night.

Miss Jessie S. Varney is in Madison today.

Bert Wymans returned last night from Detroit where he has been visiting.

Mrs. Geo. Kunder and daughter Miss Ada Kunder of Monroe are visiting in the city today.

E. E. Kunder went to Milwaukee this morning.

An automobile party from Lake Geneva composed of Miss LaSalle, Miss Deane, Mr. Morse and Mr. Senter called yesterday on Miss Wilma Jones, 53 Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Tarrant of Avon are visitors in the city today.

Mrs. E. D. Killy and Mrs. H. H. Housley of Minneapolis are visiting in the city.

David Cole, M. Mahoney, and J. Hickey of Harvard were in the city last evening.

Karl W. Lord and Miss Grace Shandling of Edgerton were Janesville visitors last evening.

Harry McCourt and "Bud" Campbell of Rockford were in town last evening.

John Ross Frampton of Oberlin, O., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bladen, 255 South Main street.

ROCK COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND PROFITS \$150,000

The Rock County National Bank has issued today and will continue to issue as long as it is necessary printed cashier's checks in the denominations of 1, 2, 5 and 10 dollars.

The checks are printed on blue paper, are payable to bearer and will do away with the necessity for indorsement.

Merchants may have a number of these checks on hand and use them in making change in place of currency.

There Has Never Been a Time

when jewelry of all kinds was made in such beautiful designs and finish as at the present time.

Enameled Brooches and Pendants

at almost any price or style. A most desirable present for a lady at CHRISTMAS.

No trouble to show goods. No goods to show trouble.

O. H. PYPER

"THE JEWELER."

S. R. KNOX Optician

W. F. HAYES that fit the eye.

Your money refunded if satisfaction can not be given.

SWIFT'S JERSEY BUTTERINE 16c LB.**GOLDEN PALACE FLOUR \$1.60 SACK.****COOKING APPLES 40c PECK.****7 BARS SANTA CLAUS SOAP 25c****PICNIC HAMS 10c LB.****JANESVILLE CAN CORN 7c CAN****5 LBS. MO-JA COFFEE \$1****BRICK CHEESE 20c LB.****CORN FLAKES 5c PKG.****EXTRA LARGE CABBAGE 5c HEAD, 50c DOZ.****E. R. WINSLOW**

80 N. Main St.

FAIR STORE.**HORSE BLANKETS**

Large size square Horse Blankets, dark gray color with striped border, special for week at \$2.50 a pair. Extra large square Horse Blankets, size 81x90 inches, color, 2 shades of brown, at \$1.00, \$1.75 and \$2.50 a pair.

Men's heavy fleece lined Shirts and Drawers; shirts are made with double front and back, all sizes, 31 to 46, at 50c per garment.

Men's Jersey Ribbed Underwear, tan color, at 48c per garment.

Men's Wool Underwear, in camel hair and Jersey ribbed, warranted not to shrink, at 98c per garment.

Men's brown Duck Coats, flannel lined, at \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Men's Brown Duck Coats with heavy mackinaw lining, at \$2.25.

Men's Duck Coats with sheepskin lining, at \$2.98.

Men's Overcoats in blue and oxford, made loose black and velvet collar, special, at \$4.75.

Men's calfskin Hucking Gloves, at 75c a pair.

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BITS OF HUMOR

THE NEW FROCK.



"Isn't it rather circusy?"
"Circussy?"
"Yes—don't you see? Bare-backed."

WORTHLESS.



Percy—What can you give me for my head?
Doctor—Nothing! I wouldn't have it as a gift.

NEW COVERS FOR OLD SONGS.

"The Devout Lover."



"It is not mine to sing the stately grace,
The great soul beaming in my lady's face."

PRIVILEGE OF WEALTH.



Girl—My uncle eats with his knife.
Boy—My uncle's rich enough to eat with a fire shovel, if he wants to.—N. Y. Press.

IT RUBBED OFF.



He put his arm around her waist,
The color left her cheeks,
But upon the shoulder of his coat
It showed up for a week.

SPORT.



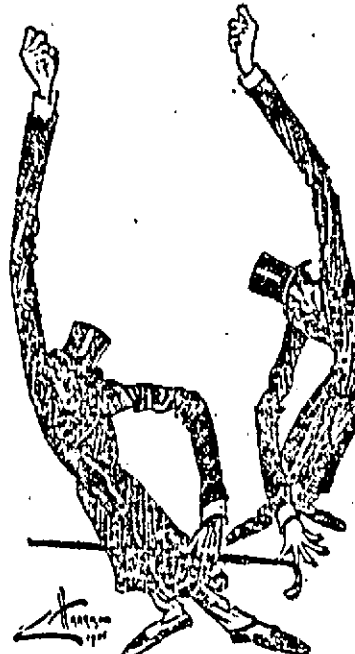
"Morning. Killed anything?"
"No; have you?"

WHAT'S LOVE WITHOUT MONEY



"He told her she was the only girl he ever loved."
"Well, by the way he's spending money on her it will be no use for him to love another."

AN AWFUL WARNING.



Men of the straphanging age (from a print of the period, 1895).—Punch.

THE SWORD OF DAMOCLES.



Little Popkins has offered to teach Juno MacWeicht how to skate—Juno—Oh, Mr. Popkins, I'm afraid I shall fall. Pop—Don't mention it, kids; the fear is mine.

THE REASON.



Guest (at country hotel)—On my bill you charge \$6 for a rabbit.
Landlord—I know, it's worth it. I strained my back and swore myself out of the church catching that rabbit.—Chicago Journal.

REASON FOR JOY.



Squillbob—There goes old Billy down the street chuckling to himself. Some big financial coup, eh?
Squillbean—Better than that. His doctor has just informed him, as a special favor, that he could have two soda crackers and a cup of milk for dinner now!—Chicago Journal.

SPORTING NEWS.

LIGHT HARNESS TALK.

Work of Sweet Marie, the Season's Leading Trotting Mare.

BINGEN'S ABLE PROGENY.

Once Famous Racer Has Eight New Performers in the List This Year, Including Codero, 2:10 3/4—The Owner of General Watts.

Sweet Marie, 2:32, has the best record of the year for trotting mares, but her season's work was unfortunately clouded toward the end by her defeat by Major Dehner, 8:00 that did not hurt her record to the same extent that a defeat by another mare would have done.

Sweet Marie, by McKinney, 2:11 1/4, the California mare which since her



SWEET MARIE, TROTTER QUEEN.

record breaking campaign down the grand circuit in 1904, has been the recognized queen of racing trotters, recently created two world's trotting records at Allentown, Pa., in one afternoon over the Allentown Fair association half mile track.

Sweet Marie clipped one second off the world's record of 2:38 for trotters over a half mile track and lowered the world's record of 2:12 1/2 for trotters to 2:09 3/4. Both records were held by Crescens, 2:02 1/4, made in 1903. Sweet Marie is owned by E. T. Stotesbury of Philadelphia, who paid \$14,500 for her, and was driven by her trainer, W. J. Andrews. The mare was paced by a cupper.

The performances of the great trotting mare are considered all the more remarkable because the track was not in its best condition, being soft from the recent rain. On a good day and track it is felt certain that Sweet Marie would have clipped at least another second off both records. The mares trotted are the second fastest mares shown by Sweet Marie this year, she having stepped a mile in the middle west on July 4 in 2:05.

In an article on "The Triumph of the Horse" the London Economist recalls the prediction of the extensive demise of that animal made when railways first became common and points out that every new railway gave fresh employment to horses, as for every horse taken out of a stagecoach two of them were required to cart to and from railway stations produce that had not before found a market. Equally fulfilled has been the later prediction as to the supersession of the horse by the motor vehicle. The deputy chairman of a London omnibus company is mentioned as having declared at a recent meeting of the company that no motor omnibus has yet been invented that can be made to pay.

Red King, 2:07 1/4, the Atlantic pacer that has successfully raced under two flags for owner Joe Carson of Wheeling, has been sold to H. W. Buckbee, the Rockford (Ill.) broker, and will likely be used as a matinee performer.

Joe Carson sold the pacer Marie Moss Toga, 2:10 1/4, by Touchett, dam Wifa, by Sharper, to J. C. Crabtree of Hillsboro, Ill.

Bingen, 2:00 1/4, has eight new performers this year—Anella, 2:20 1/4; Aquilla, 2:19 1/4; Bertini, 2:22 1/4; Bingens, 2:27 1/4; Codero, 2:10 1/4; Helvetia, 2:30; The Leading Lady, 2:18 1/4; The Minute Men, 2:21 1/4; Binjola and Queensland have reduced their marks to 2:17 1/4 and 2:22 1/4 respectively.

General C. F. Watts was fettered a banquet by friends and neighbors on his return home to Charleston, W. Va., after his great three-year-old General Watts established the world's trotting record for colts of his age. A feature of the affair was the reading of a telegram from President Roosevelt, who is a warm friend of the West Virginia breeder, congratulating him on the great achievement of his colt.

John Crabtree, the owner of Hedgeswood Boy and Lady Maud C, full brother and sister, by Chitwood, son of Nutwood, out of Sorella, by Sorbis, 2:22 1/4, son of Ansel, 2:21, possesses two remarkable pacers. Mr. Crabtree, who hails from Hillsboro, Ill., purchased Hedgeswood Boy at a country auction, paying \$150 for the venting. He paid \$270 for Lady Maud C a year later and is reported to have used them on the farm for spring plowing and between intervals campaigning them in the minor circuits. Hedgeswood Boy at the recent Columbus meeting reeled off straight heats in 2:05 1/4, 2:05 1/4, 2:04 1/4. A few days later the mare duplicated the trick in 2:07 1/4, 2:07 1/4, 2:00 1/4.

Crescens Returning to Form. Crescens, 2:02 1/4, in the hands of Harry Hesse, is coming back to form. Recently at Sioux City he trotted a mile in 2:12 1/4, as a pace-maker. The last half was made around 1:05.

THE ROUNDUP COLUMN.

Willie West Tells How Uncle Joe Cannon Played Football.

Uncle Joe Cannon, speaker of the house of representatives, made himself practically certain of being nominated for the presidency when recently he opened a game of football at Galesburg, Ill., between Lombard and Carthage colleges.

His kick of twenty-five yards opened the annual game between these colleges. Then he got out of the road to let the youngsters finish their tussle, while he went back to his long cigars.

Speaker Cannon was escorted to the field, introduced to the players and informed that his "stunt" was to kick the ball as near the goal posts as possible.

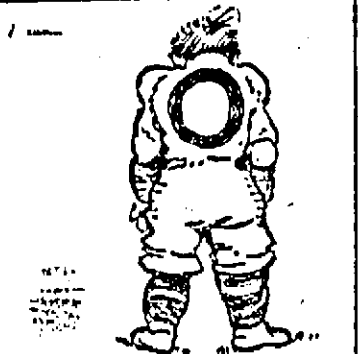
"That's easy," was the response. "Let me have one trial first." He took a hitch in his trousers and booted the ball seventy feet. Then he tried again and did better, and the game began, Lombard winning.

Uncle Joe said that the game reminded him of a debate in congress, only football was more gentle. He should have added that a few years in congress would be excellent training for football.

Cy Young is not exactly a trotter. If the rafters of his modest farmhouse in Tuscarawas county, O., could only speak they would tell many a story of bacchanalian hard elder sessions during the winter months.

Prize fighting is getting to be commercial. When a pug gives his word as a gentleman to lie down he is just as apt as not to throw his opponent down.

Two or three middle west football coaches have started a movement to have college players put huge numbers on the backs of their sweaters and jackets, so that the uninitiated spectators can identify them and so derive



THIS NUMBER WILL SOME-TIMES BE APPROPRIATE



AN UNLUCKY COMBINATION FOR A TOUCHDOWN.

WHEN THE COACHES NUMBER THE FOOT-BALL PLAYERS.

more enjoyment from the game. The numbers of the players and their names would be printed in programs.

Probably the players would not approve of the innovation, because it would make it too easy to identify the man who slugs in scrimmages. Think how many pat schemes for revenge would be rubbed if slugging players could be readily picked out by the water.

WILLIE WEST.

"THE MERRY WIDOW."

Franz Lehar's Comic Opera Scores a Decided Success.

Almost every capital in Europe has seen "The Merry Widow," by Franz Lehar, which has just been introduced to New York at the New Amsterdam theater in the English version produced in London by George Edwards at Daly's theater last summer. The English version is practically a translation of the original libretto, with perhaps a few of the suggestive lines and situations accepted in Munich or Vienna eliminated. It is the story of a Maroccan widow's attraction for a Maroccan prince, and the scenes are laid in Paris, commencing dramatically enough in the Maroccan embassy and ending in Maxim's, and the Maroccan on view at the New Amsterdam will disappoint nobody, because it is more exciting than the real Maxim's.

But it is on its music that "The Merry Widow" depends for its chief success and which carries it into a class which compels one to remember "Fledermaus" and "La Grande Duchesse" to find anything to compare it with.

Elmer Jackson was assigned to the title role and scored decisively. Miss Jackson plays along true lines. She comprehends the verve and joy of the part as well as its seductiveness. She makes the waltz the dramatic moment in the action, as it should be, but she is always "the merry widow."

Donald Brian as Prince Danilo perhaps made the success of the evening.

IRISH HORSES AND ATHLETICS.

Climate of Emerald Isle Seems to Strengthen Strain.

The history of horses, especially of thoroughbreds, goes to prove that parts of Ireland and Australia are the very best cradles for horse breeding in either Europe or elsewhere, with England as the second best, perhaps the equal. The suggestion has been thrown out that the secret lies in a lime subsoil. The reason for the supposition is a little obscure. The present writer has found that partridge bred on such soil are heavier and stronger, and it seems, fly faster than others; but it is hardly an analogy that can be applied to the horse. There are other curious analogies. It has long been noticed that the best high jumpers among human athletes, even when the scene of their feats is America, are of Irish descent. It is not less certain that the best jumpers among horses, especially a large percentage at Continental concours, derive their origin from Ireland, with Australia and England as occasional rivals. From the statistics emerges strong presumptive evidence that the climate even more than the breeding

ETIQUETTE OF THE PUNCH.

Matter That Is Sometimes a Difficult Thing to Decide.

To punch or not to punch is one of the most difficult questions in life. There is an etiquette of punching, but it does not always help a man much when the contingency arises and he is forced to decide on the spur of the moment whether he will or not. When the lie is given or certain opprobrious epithets are personally applied etiquette calls for a punch. This is supposed to be the irreducible minimum of punching, without the use of which no man can go through life holding his head erect. Beyond this irreducible minimum a man may suit his taste, his disposition and his temper in the use of his fist, within certain limits, without violating the propriety or incurring disapproval as a body. There are many optional punches, so to speak, on which the world looks with approval besides these two compulsory punches. The punch chivalrous, for instance, the weapon of modern knight errantry, in defense of the dis-

Compensation.

When Wilson Hobart married Hetty Lewis there were many people who predicted domestic troubles, even tragedies, but they were mistaken, says the Youth's Companion. The Hobarts were to all appearances, an unusually happy couple. "I reckon Hetty must have learned to keep her temper better than she used to," remarked one person, to whom this state of affairs was inexplicable. "You don't look a bit older than the day you were married, Wilson." "I don't know as she has," said Mr. Hobart, with a slow smile. "I tell her I guess she's got enough on hand to last her; she needn't save any to accommodate me. And I can tell you," he added, with enthusiasm, "it would take more than any temper over I saw to sour Hetty's bread or her cream pie!"

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The application of J. J. Kilham for the administration and allowance of his account as administrator of the estate of Adm. J. Kilham, late of the town of Union, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the real estate said estate, to such other persons as are by law entitled thereto.
Dated October 31, 1907.
By the Court, J. W. HALL, County Judge.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—in Probate.
Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court, to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the third day of December, 1907, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard and considered:
Adm. Kilham against Caroline A. Leavitt, late of the city of Janesville in said county, deceased.
All claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the last day of April, A. D., 1908, or they will be barred.
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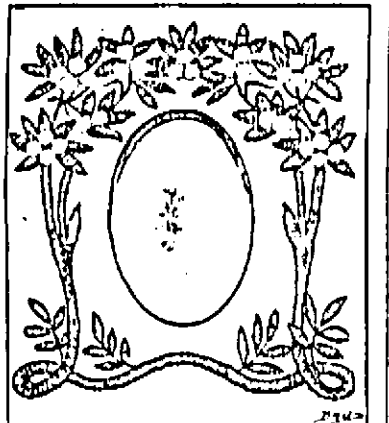
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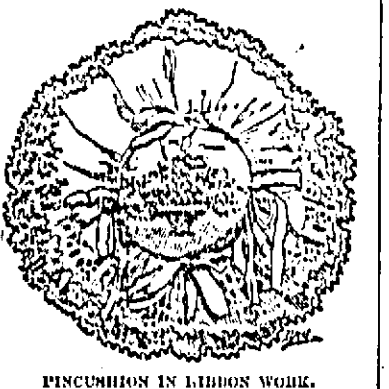
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"What are you reading?" she inquired of Daisy in the tone of gentle patronage she always used to her cousin and for which Daisy appeared humbly grateful. "Or, I should say, what is that book you are not reading? One of those that father made you pack?"

"Yes," sighed Daisy, "this one is to equip me for our European tour next summer. I'm on Switzerland now. It's perfectly dear!" she said, with perfunctory enthusiasm. "The author has so many pretty thoughts about the scenery."

Georgiana smiled indulgently. "Do you know, Daisy, what book you and I



"Imagine that girl of pump water in one of Georgiana's gowns!"

ought to have brought with us to read in this setting—with this background? she asked, waving her hand abroad to indicate the farm at large. "Which?" inquired Daisy respectfully. "Please to break it to me gently, Georgiana."

"Zaak Walton's 'Compliment Angler.' It is remarkable that such an unpretentious work as 'The Compliment Angler' should have lived since the seventeenth century and be so very much alive still."

"Wait! I'd better make a note of that," said Daisy, gathering up her book and pencil.

"It lives," Georgiana went on thoughtfully, "because it so vividly exhales on every page nature's true message. Why, if anything could make me want to go fishing, Zaak Walton's picture of its delights would tempt me. And the famous passage about the worm—in which he recommends anglers to be merciful to it—"

"The worm?" It was Daisy's soft voice that spoke impulsively. "It was not to the worm, but to the frog that Zaak Walton recommended anglers to be merciful, wasn't it? (Do him as though you loved him; that is, harm him as little as you may possibly that he may live the longer," she quoted.)

Klirous leaned forward in his chair, his elbow on his knee, his chin on his hand. The two young ladies stared at the girl as though unable to credit the evidence of their ears.

"You have read 'The Compliment Angler'?" Georgiana's astonished tones inquired.

"Many times," the girl answered, then suddenly colored and shrunk back a little. "I have seen it—yes."

"You have seen it to some purpose since you are able to quote it so accurately."

Emilee looked down at the Bible on her knees and did not answer. "But, Emilee, where did you get the book?" asked Georgiana. "I came by it once."

"You have the book in the house?" asked Georgiana.

The girl looked uncomfortable. "I have not read it for more than a year," she said with evident evasion. "If you are fond of reading—and of such reading—we shall be glad to let you have some of our books," said Georgiana in a tone of encouragement to struggling rural ambition.

"Offer her 'Some Facts About the Great Back Bone Family,'" advised Emilee earnestly. "It's so fearfully uninteresting that I'm sure it must be very instructive and beneficial."

"Thank you," Emilee replied. "But," she added, with a uneasy glance at Ollie, "I never have time to read except on Sunday, and Mr. Morningstar would not allow me to read anything but the Bible then."

"But I am so glad to find," said Georgiana graciously, "that when you do have an opportunity to read good literature you take advantage of it and that you read so appreciatively."

"I am glad to be a source of such happiness to you," said Emilee, speaking with a faint unconscious touch of irony that suddenly brought the color to Georgiana's cheeks; Emilee herself looked as though she scarcely understood the vague discomfort which possessed her under the almost affectionate patronage of Miss Elbery.

The sound of a step on the porch, which evidently announced the expected arrival of Ollie's "regular company"—led Emilee to quickly close her Bible and rise to go away.

But she was stopped on the threshold.

CHAPTER X.

Emilee was about to pass Ollie's steady company with a nod, but the young man stopped directly in her way, and holding out his hand with a shy awkwardness, flushed deeply as he looked at her.

"Oh!" exclaimed Ollie, turning in her chair to welcome him, but not rising, "but I'm glad you're here once! I'm so tired lately! to the big world? they're split! at each other here—yes, even Emilee yet! I didn't know Emilee could speak such high language! She ain't never done it around us still."

"Nor around me, neither—I'd like, too, to hear her sing," replied the young man, his flushed tones only just audible and his face and neck self-consciously red as he retained Emilee's hand so that she could not pass on and looked at her with an air in his gaze that appeared quite irrelevant in view of the general understanding that he came to "set up" with Ollie. "Won't you stay awhile on the porch, Emilee?" he nervously begged the girl.

Emilee looked at him in surprise. To ask her to commit a breach like that, to violate the social code that no third person must be present at a Sunday night "setting up"—was he wondering in his wife? She tried to withdraw her hand, but could not—she held it tight—with Ollie, Dr. Klirous and the young ladies all looking on.

"This is the first time I have seen you—since I began to come Sundays," he said with evidently gigantic effort to conquer his embarrassment at the acknowledgment he was making in Ollie's very presence. "Where was you at Sunday nights still when I come over?"

"Where was she at?" spoke up Ollie boldly. "Out on the back porch setting up with our Abe. That's where she'd be tonight, too, I guess, if mom didn't jaw her so far!"

"With Abe?" repeated Ollie's ostensible "friend" in a consternation that forgot the presence of others. "Her and Abe?"

Emilee dragged her fingers from his clasp and turned away before he could recover from the evident shock of Ollie's communication.

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MIND UPSET BY A VOTING CONTEST

Bernard Volz of La Crosse Goes to Asylum—Supreme Court Upholds Contention That Man May Not Be Thrown from Moving Car.

La Crosse, Wis., Nov. 6.—Suffering a complete nervous collapse as the result of worry over a subscription contest conducted by a newspaper in which his daughter was the leading contestant, Bernard H. Volz, an insurance agent, was adjudged insane and committed to the asylum at Mendota. Mr. Volz was for many years proprietor of a well known clothing store.

Medical Society Meeting.
The annual meeting of the Medical Society of the Seventh Council District of Wisconsin will be held in this city November 7. The principal features of the program will be an address on "The White Plague" by Dr. John H. Hottel of Milwaukee and a paper on "Role of Peritonitis and Lymphatics in Tubercular Infection" by Dr. Hottel of Chicago.

Unlawful Treatment of Passenger.
As a result of being kicked from a streetcar by the employees of the company, Edward N. Schultz brought suit against the La Crosse City Railway company for \$5,000 damages. The circuit court awarded the plaintiff \$3,500 which verdict has been sustained by the supreme court.

Changed River Course—Must Pay.
After two trials in the circuit court and being twice taken to the supreme court, the case of William Neundorfer against Hiram Goddard has been affirmed by the latter court in favor of the plaintiff who received a verdict of \$2,000. The case was the outgrowth of the defendant diverting the course of the La Crosse river by building a bridge thereby damaging property owned by the plaintiff.

BOURBON STOCK YARDS BURN.
Fire in Louisville Does Damage Estimated at \$200,000.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 6.—The plant of the Bourbon stock yards located at Johnson and Main streets was practically wiped out by a fire which broke out early Tuesday evening. The loss is estimated at \$200,000. Ten carloads of hogs were burned, but the employees managed to save most of the cattle. Nine tenement houses also were burned down.

Pacific Whalers Are Safe.
San Francisco, Nov. 6.—The five whaling vessels of the Pacific coast fleet, which were thought to have been caught in the Arctic ice floes, and for the safety of which all on board grave fears were entertained by the whaling men of this city, are safe and should arrive here shortly. This word was received Tuesday through Stabens & Friedman from Unalakleet and all the vessels are said to be on their way to the open sea.

Effect of Sun Baths.
"The taking of sun baths is one of the most healthful things in the world," said Evan T. Roberts, of Cincinnati. "Several years ago I visited Germany, and while there was taken down with nervous prostration. I called in the best specialists of Berlin. They told me I needed more exercise, more fresh air and more sunlight. The first thing they made me do was to take sun baths. I stripped and would go out in the yard every morning and lay for 40 minutes in the broiling sun. It was not so hot, but felt so to me, as I was unprotected. Well, sir, in a few days I began to feel better. In three weeks I was pronounced a well man. The sun baths certainly did the trick for me."

Use of Adjectives.
Certain adjectives are reserved for men and others for women. A man is never called "beautiful." Along with "pretty" and "lovely" that adjective has become the property of women and children alone. "Handsome" and the weak "good-looking" are the only two adjectives of the kind common to either sex. Even "handsome" has no real masculine correlative in English. Since "handsome" came to signify something other than personal looks, it is singular that "handsome" should have become the word for a strikingly good-looking person, since its literal meaning is handsy, dexterous. But "pretty" likewise comes from the Anglo-Saxon word meaning "aly."

Names of Newspapers.
Is it a loose application of language to apply the word "journal" to a publication issued every week or month? Probably not, since the idea of the word seems to have been that the news sheet was a diary, a record of day-by-day events, rather than that it appeared daily itself. The very first regular newspaper, indeed, is considered to have been the Frankfurter Journal, which appeared in 1615 as a weekly publication. If newspapers were compelled to adhere with literal accuracy to their titles all "gazettes" would sell for one cent, since that is what "gazette" originally signified. The Venetian Gazette of the sixteenth century, the parent of all the "gazettes," took its name from a coin of about that value.

Value of Enthusiasm.
The word enthusiasm really means possession by a god. The trait itself belongs to what we call our better selves. And whether it is an elevated and noble excitement in pursuit of some object, or the ardent response to some high pleasure which has kindled the imagination, the effect is the same, the uplifting of human nature.

Uncle Eben.
"Experience," said Uncle Eben, "is a good teacher. But some of us don't learn nuffin' 'um her 'ceptin' how to rectify hard-fact stories."—Washington Star.

ONE TREASURE SHIP REACHES NEW YORK

THE KRONPRINZESSIN CECILIE BRINGS \$7,100,000 IN GOLD.

MUCH MORE ON THE WAY

Lusitania Has \$10,000,000 and Other Vessels \$14,000,000—Financiers Give Cortelyou Good Reports.

New York, Nov. 6.—The arrival of the first treasure ship laden with gold for the relief of the present straits was the feature of the financial situation Tuesday. The Kronprinzessin Cecilie was reported off Fire Island at six o'clock in the morning, and soon after ten o'clock had docked and was unloading \$7,100,000 in the yellow metal which will go to strengthen New York bank resources.

The new German liner Lusitania will follow closely in her wake with \$10,000,000 and \$14,000,000 more will follow during the remainder of the week and early next week.

The additional withdrawal of £750,000 from the Bank of England Tuesday for the United States and £225,000 for Canada brings up the total gold engagements on the present movement to about \$30,000,000.

Bank of France Helps.
The news that the bank of France bought \$2,000,000 in sterling bills on London was regarded here as an event of the first importance as indicating that French financiers were not only able but willing to help London, and thus indirectly help America, by relieving the strain on the bank of England caused by the heavy American demands for gold. It is hoped that this action of the bank of France will deter the bank of England from raising its discount rate to seven per cent, at the meeting of directors on Thursday, and the Imperial Bank of Germany from raising its rate from six and a half to seven and a half per cent. The inference is drawn that it is likely to have this effect because not since 1873 has the bank of England rate been above six per cent, and only for 12 days in each of the years 1899 and 1900 has the German rate been above six per cent, since 1870.

Cortelyou Sees Financiers.
The presence of Secretary Cortelyou in the city on his way to vote gave an opportunity for further conferences with Mr. Morgan and other leading bankers. The secretary came over from Washington with President Roosevelt to vote, and on his way back from his home at Hempstead, L. I., decided to stop off and learn of the financial situation. Besides Mr. Morgan, Secretary Cortelyou saw George W. Perkins and one or two other bankers, who acquainted him with the progress of events. He was told that the situation in New York was rapidly improving because of the developments in the last 24 hours.

Those bankers who saw Secretary Cortelyou are convinced that there is no intention on the part of President Roosevelt to call an extra session of congress to pass any remedial financial legislation, as it is understood the administration feels that the situation should settle down to a basis where a proper judgment can be formed on the various proposed changes in the present monetary laws.

Ready to Aid Other Cities.
That the corner in the recent monetary difficulties has been turned was evidenced Tuesday when at a conference of J. Pierpont Morgan, Levi H. Morten, Geo. W. Perkins and several other well-known financial men, attention was chiefly directed to the situation in other financial centers throughout the country to ascertain if the strain of the last two weeks had disclosed any weak spots. With the situation cleared here, the bankers feel that they are now in position to render such aid as they can to other points should it prove necessary.

Mr. Perkins said, after one of a series of conferences held at the library of J. Pierpont Morgan: "Things are shaping themselves very satisfactorily locally and we spent most of the day comparing notes on the situation throughout the country. This was done, not because we felt any apprehension of difficulty anywhere else, but to learn of the general situation."

Government to Pay Cash.
Washington, Nov. 6.—Word reached the treasury department Tuesday that because of reluctance to part with the currency they have on hand national banks throughout the country are declining to cash pension vouchers, disbursing officers' drafts and other obligations of the government. Treasurer Treat took measures to relieve this condition of affairs and sent telegraphic advice to all the sub-treasurers to make prompt payment, in currency, to all persons holding such checks or drafts, of what may be due them.

Seed Division Building Burns.
Washington, Nov. 6.—The seed division building of the department of agriculture, located on "C" street southwest, caught fire early Wednesday morning and was partly destroyed. The fire was caused by spontaneous combustion. The loss is about \$30,000.

Parliament Further Protagued.
London, Nov. 6.—A royal proclamation issued Tuesday announces that parliament is further prorogued from November 16 to December 26.

Steam Vessels Hand Work.
For five dollars steam will do the work which would cost \$800 if done by hand.

TEAM ENCOURAGED BEGIN HARD WORK

Wisconsin Plays Indiana University on Saturday—Men Working Hard in Preparation.

Madison, Wis., Nov. 6.—The University of Wisconsin football eleven will be in the best condition for the game with the University of Indiana here Saturday that it has been for any game this season, although Ost-hoff, the strength of the backfield, is still in the hospital and probably will not play until the Minnesota game. Fack, who started the season at quarterback with much promise of success, but who was injured early in the Illinois game, has returned to the field, but he is at right end. Carl Cunningham has made good at quarter.

The work of running the line in the Iowa game was such as to give him a pinch on his place for the season. Just now the problem of the coaches is to make a right end out of Fack, who is the best material available. He is fast and a good, sure tackler in open field, and is also clever at running back ideas. In this latter department of the game Wisconsin has fallen down lamentably.

This season, both Illinois and Iowa gained yards at every exchange of punts because their safety men eluded Wisconsin's tacklers. Rogers, the better of the punting game over both Illinois and Iowa, but Wisconsin was poor in stopping the runners on the way back. Rogers is one of the best end Wisconsin ever had, but the fact that he is drawn back to punt takes him out of the tackling down the field. The Badgers are also cheered by the return of Dittman to the game after a hospital vacation. He is possessed of experience in the line and will play either guard or tackle, probably left tackle in place of Boyle, not because Boyle has failed, but because Dittman is a more stronger and more experienced. The Wisconsin team is fairly advanced in development and the coaches are not giving hard scrimmages to the varsity this week. Not much trouble is expected against Indiana Saturday.

TODAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF

London, Nov. 6.—Maxine Elliott called for New York today. She will begin her American tour at Philadelphia in Henry V. Esmond's comedy, "Under the Greenwood Tree."

Greenwich, Ind., Nov. 6.—Many delegates are gathered here to take part in the annual convention of the Indiana Y. W. C. A., which will be in session during the next few days. An attractive program has been prepared for the convention.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 6.—The Virginia division of the United Daughters of the Confederacy assembled at the Jamestown exposition today for a two-day session. Next week the general organization will hold a convention at the exposition.

London, Nov. 6.—Lord Fairfax, America's only peer, whose ancestors have lived in the United States since Cromwell's time, is about to become a British citizen, with a possible seat in the House of Lords. Lord Fairfax resided for many years in Baltimore.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 6.—The Arkansas society of the Daughters of the King began its convention in this city today. Delegates from various parts of the state are in attendance and elaborate entertainment has been provided in their honor.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 6.—Representatives of the Pennsylvania Woman's Franchise association assembled for their annual convention here today, the meeting place being the Fourth Avenue Baptist church. The sessions will continue during the remainder of the week, with Miss Jane Campbell of Philadelphia presiding.

Paris, Nov. 6.—The medical fraternity in Paris have decided that, beginning next year, Sunday visits to patients shall be treated as night visits with double charges. The only exceptions will be visits to patients already under treatment. The movement was initiated to secure Sunday as a day of rest for the physicians.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 6.—Preparations have been completed at the University of Georgia for the entertainment tomorrow of the annual meeting of the Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools of the Southern States. The meeting will be attended by a large number of well known educators from all over the south.

London, Nov. 6.—Announcement is made that a syndicate of British and American capitalists is arranging to give London a "Dream City" on the lines of the famous Coney Island resort at New York. An amusement park covering fifteen acres has been secured in Battersea, and the plan provides for numerous open-air attractions.

Montreal, Que., Nov. 6.—Considerable interest is manifested in the fight to be pulled off before a local club tonight, with Al Delmont and "Kid" Dufresne as the principals.

The two are regarded as evenly matched and a lively contest is expected to result. Both are reported to be in good condition for the bout.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 6.—Governor Hughes of New York and Attorney General Bonaparte will be two of the prominent speakers at the annual meeting of the National Civil Service Reform League, which will begin its sessions here tomorrow morning. The meeting will be largely attended and promises to be one of the most interesting that the league has held in several years.

Lynn, Mass., Nov. 6.—The Massachusetts State Conference of Charities, one of the largest and foremost organizations of its kind in the country, began its fifth annual meeting in Lynn today and will continue in session until Saturday. Neighborhood work, playgrounds and vacation schools, the results obtained by child-saving agencies, and the prevention of truancy are some of the topics that will receive the attention of the meeting.

Tobacco.
Tobacco received its name from Tobacco, a province in Yucatan. Others say that it was named for the island of Tobago, one of the Caribbees, while still others claim that it was named for Tobacco, in the Gulf of Florida. It is said that tobacco was first observed at San Domingo, Cuba, in 1492, and was used freely by the Spaniards in Yucatan in 1520.

Read the want ads.

Remembrances For the Holiday Time

TOY poodles, knitted or crocheted of white or fancy colored woolen yarns, are a novelty in Christmas gifts that will delight young infants and because of their oddity will interest even grownups. For, though they were originally intended as playthings for young children, they have become quite a fad with smart women, who are making them to use on their dressing tables either as ornaments or for penholders.

These dogs are equally attractive to babies and older persons because of their shaggyness, a feature in knitted and crocheted animals not successfully produced before. And, incidentally, they are really excellent reproductions of Skye terriers and the griffons, for the wool made in loops of yarn is a decidedly good imitation of the curly coats of these dogs.

The Skye terriers in white or a grayish blue yarn are both effective and quite as soft and fluffy as the real pets, for like the living dogs their snout bodies are covered with loops of yarn that hang down from long ears and dangle about their eyes.



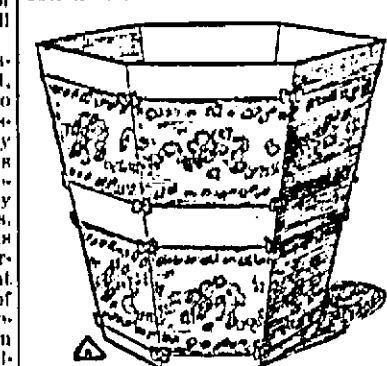
WOOLLY DOGS FOR BABIES.

Hooves and mouths of these dogs are made of black yarn and the eyes of large shoe buttons, giving quite a natural and expressive look to the cunning faces. With large pink buttons tied in bows about these little dog's necks they are decorative enough to grace any dainty boudoir and are practical for use as toys for small youngsters to throw around a nursery.

Unlike the griffons, these Skyes have only two feet—front ones—that are shaggy like the rest of their bodies. They are made in a lying position so that hind legs are not necessary. The claws of the feet are outlined with stitching of black yarn.

The griffons are made on larger lines than the Skyes and are most effective, because the heads and front parts of the bodies are shaggy and in sharp contrast to the plain crocheted or knitted hind portions, so fashioned to look as if the hair had been clipped. The hind legs are of course curly, like the head and front legs. The claws on the four feet are brought out by dark lines of gray wool, which make the toes distinctive. The eyes are large shoe buttons and the noses and mouths of black yarn, made in the same way as the features of the Skyes. The legs are short, but are stiff and strong enough to support the weight of the dog's body and keep it in an upright standing attitude.

As toys these poodles are especially desirable, because they are made of cotton and wool and are so soft that a



WASTE PAPER BASKET.

child cannot be hurt by playing with them, even if hit. Then, too, they cannot be easily torn and when dirty may be washed the same as any woolen cloth.

The charming waste paper basket shown in the design is quite within the capabilities of every girl to make. It is composed of six pieces of cardboard cut to shape and lined with colored satin, which also covers the cardboard forming the bottom. The pieces are covered on the outside with flowered material in a stripe design, and care must be taken when cutting to make the stripes meet at each place where it is joined to its fellow. The ends are firmly sewn to the cardboard bottom, and the sides can either be joined or else merely connected by ribbon bows passed through slits pierced holes in the cardboard, and if the ribbon is tightly tied and the holes evenly pierced there will be no danger of the contents of the basket falling out.

Ribbon Sachets.
Sachets, really pretty ones, that would please the most fastidious, may be fashioned from a yard of ribbon if it is not more than four inches in width. Where wider ribbon is liked the length should be proportionately increased. To in an ordinary bow-knot. See that the knot is tight, so that the loops have the proper "perkiness." Place sachet powder between two layers of thin cotton shoddy, cutting the padding just a trifle narrower than the ribbon loops, so that they form bags to hold the perfumed cotton. Fringe or trim the ends of the bow and place in a dainty holly decorated box.

May Lose Out on the Goods.
Any man can get a wife by advertising, but it will be up to the wife to convince him that it pays to advertise.—Toledo Blade.

Read the want ads.

THE ART OF DINING OUT A Few Suggestions By T. W. McKail

From what I hear I infer that nowadays there are thousands of young men in New York absolutely aching for tips on how to behave themselves when dining out. To judge from this kind of talk the average New Yorker, when invited out to dine, doesn't know whether it is good form to turn up in his automobile toga, or whether it is dicker to introduce the subject of aluminum corsets into the small talk.

Upon your arrival at the house where you have been invited to dine you hand your hat and coat to the servant. If you have brought an umbrella, you hand that also. In any well-regulated New York house these articles will be returned to you in a tolerable state of preservation on leaving; or, failing them, you will probably have a chance to help yourself to a selection of what you fancy in the cloakroom. You can often pick up quite a new hat in this way for nothing.

When dinner is announced it is not considered good form to rush for the dining room to secure a front seat. No matter how hungry you may be, even if you have shortened up your lunch in anticipation of the free blow-out, it is considered long to go slowly. The march to the dining room is always made to resemble a funeral procession in order to give the humorous guests a chance to remark that they are about to assist at the funeral of the menu. Menu is a French word, but is now quite freely used in this city. It means a list of eatables set out in detail, and also implies that you are to have several minutes' snacks of things in general, instead of one unrestrained go at anything in particular.

When asked to take a lady down to dinner it is usual to put the lady on the wall side of the staircase, so that if she slips you can grip on the baluster and save the procession from being bumped about a good deal.

There is no obligation on you to work steadily through the menu if you prefer to rest here and there. Still, if you are feeling exceptionally fit, or have a bet on about it, no physical force will be used to prevent you from grappling with the entire lay-out. If during the repast you should drop anything under the table, it is not regarded as good form to dive down at once on your hands and knees in order to recover it.

At a dinner party a section of the menu is commonly handed round to the guests by the servants, and you will be expected to dig out what you need for your own personal use, and let the balance go. However tempting the dish may be, do not allow yourself, in an excess of uncontrolled emotion, to pinch the lot. Of course, it may happen that, quite inadvertently you may lift rather more of the course than you designed. In that case, let the spoil lie where it fell, and put the blame on the servant. It would not be at all correct to return the surplus; neither should you even if your neighbor is a very pretty girl, insist on dumping upon her plate the balance for which you have no use. If she wants it she will ask for it.

When the soup is served you will be expected to eat it with the table-spoon. The use of the knife when eating soup is not recommended, as you can only get up such a mere scrap at each scoop, and when the courses are served one at a time you will be apt to keep the other guests waiting. The knife is only used for cutting things with, and the picturesque habit of chasing the peas or the last drop of gravy round the plate with the blade of the knife is no longer considered a la mode in good society.

No matter how hungry you may be you must leave yourself with breath enough to talk occasionally to the lady you have brought down to dinner, even if you don't care for the shade her hair is dyed. If you are telling her a funny story, you must not nudge her with your elbow when you reach the part where the laugh comes in, neither is it usual to slap ladies on the back when endeavoring to add to their gaiety.

When the guests begin to go home, it is as well for you to make a move also, if only to get a bulge on the cloakroom. At the same time, if you have sufficient confidence in your hostess, you may postpone your departure a little, though it is not at all good form to wait till you are thrown out.

It is a good rule to take your leave while you are still sober, as you can always round off the corners of your exhilaration at the club or nearest saloon.

Usury Starts Emigration.
The practice of usury in Italy has started a wholesale emigration to the United States. I have been reliably informed that out of 18,000 male taxpayers, 6,000 between the ages of 18 and 25 have left for America. From the village of Haglano, in the center of the island, one-tenth of the whole population has left. The movement is assuming such an alarming aspect that the Turkish government is now using its utmost endeavors to prevent this exodus. With few exceptions, only men emigrate, which proves conclusively that it is the intention of these people to eventually return to the island after they have earned sufficient money in the United States to enable them to do so.

Many Suicides in Denmark.
The Danes seem most addicted to suicide. The average is 256 self-murders a million persons a year.

Read the want ads.

IN THE PUBLIC EYE

GOVERNOR Foe OF RAILROADS



Gov. Braxton Bragg Comer of Alabama has become a new big figure in Alabama state politics because of his fight against the railways. He is the man who led the "Morris Avenue Soreheads" against the state machine and won. His motto was "progressiveness" as against "standpatism."

Comer as a mere stripling of a boy served as a state cadet during the civil war. From poverty he rose to affluence. He became a merchant, then joined field to field, and today is said to run more mules than any other man in Alabama. He is interested in cotton and flour mills and other business concerns, but it was not until he was fifty-odd years that he entered political life. It is said that he got into politics by accident—that he did not know what he was doing. It all came about when he began to kick on what he termed high freight rates.

He was wholehearted at this time and something happened that permitted his great competitor to undersell him, and after a while he identified this something as railway rates and discrimination, or thought he did, and the fight was on. He took the matter before the Birmingham Commercial club only to find the railways owned the club. He left the club and organized a semi-secret league popularly known as the "Morris Avenue Soreheads," with a number of branches. This organization presented a bill to the legislature but when it was passed it was not up to the Comer standard. Comer became president of the new railway commission, winning by more than 20,000 votes. Then came the state election. Comer told the people he wanted everything—the lieutenant-governorship, the rest of the railway commission and both branches of the legislature. Then he could get laws to regulate the railways. He carried sixty of the sixty-seven counties, and won by 20,000 votes. And Gov. Comer is still fighting the railroads.

ARMY CHIEF RETIRES

By the retirement of General McKenney from the United States army the other day at the age of 64 by operation of the law as to age limit, the force loses one of its most unique characters. The general is the last commissioned officer on the active list who answered President Lincoln's first call for volunteers in April, 1861, and served throughout the civil war, a period of more than four years. He received his commission as major general, United States army, on the forty-sixth anniversary of his entry into the volunteer service as a private.

He was identified with the First and Seventy-ninth volunteer regiments from Pennsylvania during the war, and served in General Patterson's army in Virginia, and later in the armies of Ohio and Cumberland. His regiment, the Seventy-ninth Pennsylvania volunteers, belonged to the Fourteenth army corps and he was present with it in all campaigns and battles from 1861 until mustered out July, 1865, at Washington, D. C., as a captain.

He was appointed in the regular army as second and first lieutenant Feb. 23, 1866, and assigned to the Thirtieth United States Infantry, transferred to the Twenty-second Infantry, and later to the Twentieth Infantry, in which regiment he served for nearly thirty-five years, filling every grade from first lieutenant to colonel.

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TO WRITE HISTORY OF RUSSIA



Mrs. Augusta Hale Gifford of Portland has sailed for an extended trip abroad. During her absence she will add to her material for a comprehensive history of Russia. It is no new thing for Mrs. Gifford to carry in other lands, for although born in Maine she has spent more than half her time on foreign shores during the past thirty years.

A sister of the venerable U. S. senator, Eugene Hale, she springs from a long-lived studious family. After her graduation from Oberlin college she became a devoted student to history, literature and art. Shortly after her marriage to Hon. George Gifford of Portland, he laid aside his legal practice and journalism to accept a consular service.

His duties have led to a family residence in London, Paris, Basel and various other foreign capitals, while Mrs. Gifford has taken leisurely trips through Germany, to the North cape and the orient. In the early trips back and forth to her native land Mrs. Gifford recalls some trying voyages, when adverse winds and waves often lengthened the trip to sixteen days.

Mrs. Gifford has from time to time done much clever work for New England journals, and was much in demand as a lecturer before she undertook the writing of books. Fond of German character and life she wrote some years ago a volume entitled "Germany: Her People and Their Story." In due time this was followed by a history of Italy, which was not only read with avidity by her countrymen but received favorable comment from the king of that country. Mrs. Gifford received a letter from Victor Emmanuel III. personally thanking her for so valuable and charming a book.

No sooner were the two countries woven into a story than she became anxious to visit Russia and gather material for a third in her series, but the political disturbances have been such that her family have not been willing for her to attempt traveling through that country until now.

AROUSED BY SLAUGHTER

Mohammed Ali Mirza, the new shah of Persia, who ascended the throne last February, aroused at the awful slaughter of his subjects by invading Turks, has called upon the sultan to curb his auxiliaries, asserting that the temper of the Persian people will inevitably force on a war should the frontier continue to be harassed.

The shah is 35 years old. As a child he showed great intelligence and a remarkable strength of character. He is well versed in the subjects taught in Europe and speaks French fluently. His majesty is described as serious, energetic and fond of his work, personally attending to every detail of the government. His officials have often been heard to complain of his zeal and exactitude when governor of Tabriz. He did not inherit the oriental love of pomp and display. Some have said that he is economical to a fault.

According to the American charge d'affaires in Teheran, he is a most firm supporter and advocate of reform, and has devoted considerable time to the study of political sciences and the political history of Europe.

His majesty is, however, above all, a military man. He has had a thorough and careful training in the art of war and has commanded several brigades. Indeed, so desirous were the late shah and Nasr-ed-Din, the present shah's grandfather, that his military training should be as thorough as possible that the then young prince entered the army as an ensign, and reached the grade of commander solely on his merits, only after having served the full period for each intermediate grade. His majesty's military qualifications found a wide scope in the administration of the province of Azerbaijan, essentially a military province, where the best Persian troops are recruited. It will be readily seen that should the Mohammedan nations get into a war that the shah will be thoroughly able to aid in the maneuvering of the Persian forces.

The shah is fond of the simple life, and the sumptuousness of his court does not exceed that which is absolutely necessary for the maintenance of his rank and dignity.

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